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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
7 AT TACOMA

8 SHIRLEY BEER,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 NANCY A. BERRYHILL,

12 Defendant.

Case No. C18-5355JLR

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE RE:  
FAILURE TO FILE ANSWER

13 This matter is before the court on Plaintiff Shirley Beer's complaint seeking  
14 review of the Commissioner of Social Security's decision to deny benefits to her son,  
15 Douglas Lewis. (*See* Complaint (Dkt. # 3).) Ms. Beer filed proof of service indicating  
16 that service occurred on July 13, 2018. (*See* Proof of Service (Dkt. # 5).) Pursuant to  
17 Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(2), the Commissioner was required to serve an answer to the  
18 complaint within 60 days after service. The Commissioner's answer was thus due by  
19 September 11, 2018. To date, the Commissioner has filed no answer. (See Dkt.)

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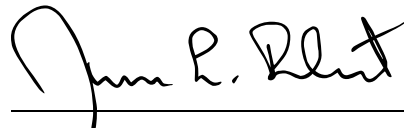
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1 The Commissioner is hereby ordered to show cause on or before September 17,  
2 2018 why this matter should not be remanded for failure to file an answer.

3 DATED this 13th day of September, 2018.

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6 JAMES L. ROBART  
7 United States District Judge  
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